
ORANGE CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE

INFRASTRUCTURE POLICY COMMITTEE

HELD IN COUNCIL CHAMBER, CIVIC CENTRE, BYNG STREET, ORANGE

ON 1 APRIL 2025

COMMENCING AT 7:36 PM

1 INTRODUCTION

ATTENDANCE

Cr J Whitton (Chairperson), Cr T Mileto (Mayor), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy, Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr G Power, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman

Chief Executive Officer, Director Corporate and Commercial Services, Director Development Services, Director Community, Recreation and Cultural Services, Director Technical Services, Manager Corporate Governance, Governance Lead, Chief Financial Officer

APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Nil.

1.1 DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS, SIGNIFICANT NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS AND LESS THAN SIGNIFICANT NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS

Nil.

2 COMMITTEE MINUTES**2.1 MINUTES OF THE CITY OF ORANGE TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING - 18 MARCH 2025**

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/444

RESOLVED - 25/117**Cr T Mileto/Cr S Peterson**

1 That Council acknowledge the reports presented to the City of Orange Traffic Committee at its meeting held on 18 March 2025.

2 That Council determine recommendations 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6 and 3.7 from the minutes of the City of Orange Traffic Committee meeting of 18 March 2025.

3.1 - City of Orange Traffic Committee Charter

That the Charter for the City of Orange Traffic Committee be updated and brought back to the Committee for consideration.

3.2 - City of Orange Traffic Committee – 2025 Meeting Dates and Times

That the City of Orange Traffic Committee meet on the second Tuesday of every month at 9.30am at the Civic Centre for the remainder of 2025.

3.3 - City of Orange Traffic Committee – Code of Conduct

That the City of Orange Traffic Committee acknowledge the requirements set by the Code of Conduct, and members commit to act in accordance with the Code of Conduct at all times while on Committee/Council business.

3.4 - Woodward Street Traffic

That Council install traffic classifiers on Woodward Street (between Kite and Moulder Streets) and advise the NSW Police of the times alleged speeding is occurring.

3.5 - Request for Safer Road – Buckland Drive

That 'No Parking' signs be erected on Buckland Drive across from the eastern boundary of 59 Buckland Drive to the western boundary of 63 Buckland Drive shown on Figure A of the report.

3.6 - "No Stopping" Sign – 65 Spring Street

That Council move the 'No Stopping' sign shown in Figure A of this report 5 metres north on Spring Street.

3.7 - Bus Bay Allenby Road

That Council lengthen the bus zone on Allenby Road to the north by 23 metres.

3 That the remainder of the minutes of the City of Orange Traffic Committee from its meeting held on 18 March 2025 be adopted.

For: Cr J Whitton (Chairperson), Cr T Mileto (Mayor), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy, Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr G Power, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman

Against: Nil

Absent: Nil

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**Cr M McDonell**

Cr McDonell asked for confirmation on whether the no stopping signs on Frost Street are new signs, or if they are the original signage, as they still seem within 10 metres of the intersection with Coronation Drive.

3 GENERAL REPORTS

3.1 CURRENT WORKS

TRIM REFERENCE: 2025/409

RESOLVED - 25/118**Cr S Peterson/Cr F Kinghorne**

That the information provided in the report on Current Works be acknowledged.

For: Cr J Whitton (Chairperson), Cr T Mileto (Mayor), Cr T Greenhalgh (Deputy Mayor), Cr K Duffy, Cr G Judge, Cr F Kinghorne, Cr D Mallard, Cr M McDonell, Cr S Peterson, Cr G Power, Cr M Ruddy, Cr J Stedman

Against: Nil

Absent: Nil

Cr McDonell asked when landscaping is expected to start at the new sports precinct.

The Director Community, Recreation & Cultural Services advised that tender documents are being finalised for the landscaping around the fields, however landscaping around the stadium will be completed after construction.

Cr Kinghorne asked if the drainage at Adventure Playground is adequate, and if a water feature impacting on the shade covers would become a problem over time.

The Director Technical Services advised contractors are attending the site to remedy a few defects this week and that water will not have a negative impact on the shade cover.

Cr Duffy asked if all appropriate signage had been placed on Brabham Way, and also if warning signs are needed on Springbank Lane and the Escort Way for the decreases in speed limits.

The Director Technical Services advised that all signs, including repeater speed signs at all intersections were in place. It was also advised that when a speed limit is reduced by 10kms, no additional warning signs are required as suggested from 60km/hr to 50km/hr.

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**Cr J Whitton**

Cr Whitton asked for clarification as to what the line markings on the roads in Anson and Peisley Streets are being used for.

Cr Judge asked if signs were going to be added to the merge area on Brabham Way, and if the kangaroo warning signs will remain in place near Anson Street.

The Director Technical Services advised there are no legal requirements for a merge sign given the short distance, but staff will continue to review the area. It was also advised that the kangaroo warning signs will remain in place as there are still kangaroos along this area.

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**Cr M McDonell**

Cr McDonell noted the blackberries along the northern side of Brabham Way between Forest Road and Anson Street need attention and asked if they are on Council property would Council manage these.

THE MEETING CLOSED AT 7.49PM.